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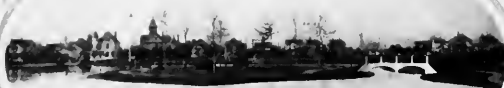




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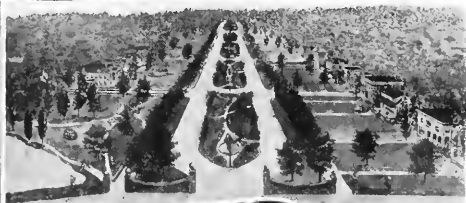
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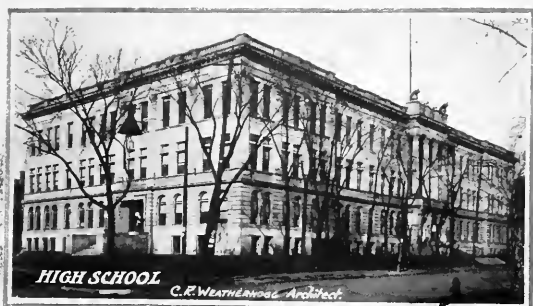


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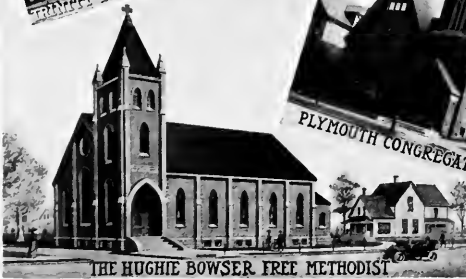
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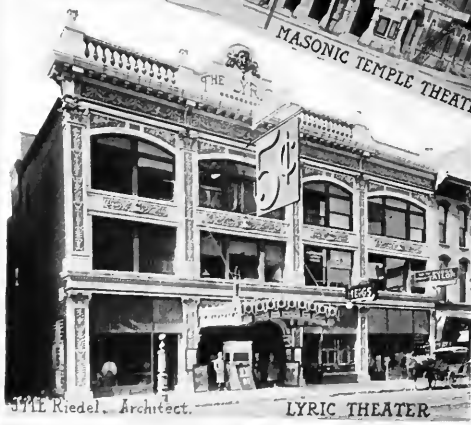
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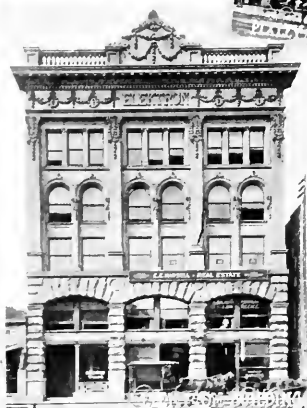


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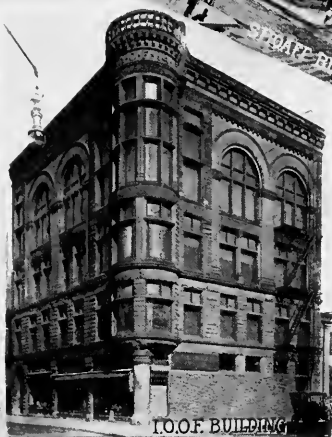


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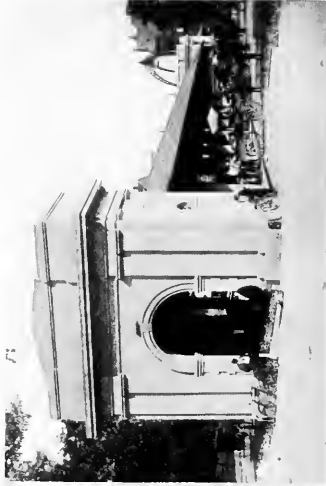


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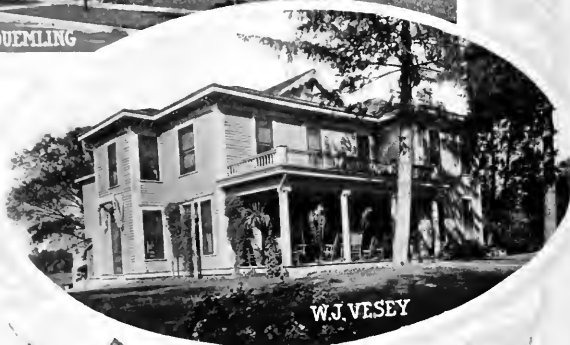
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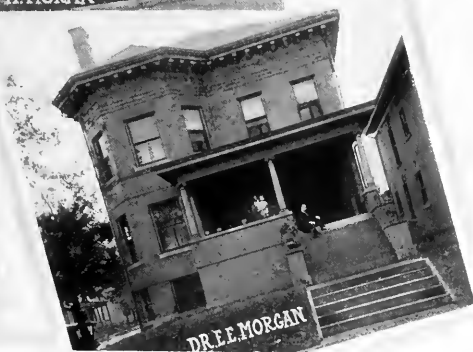
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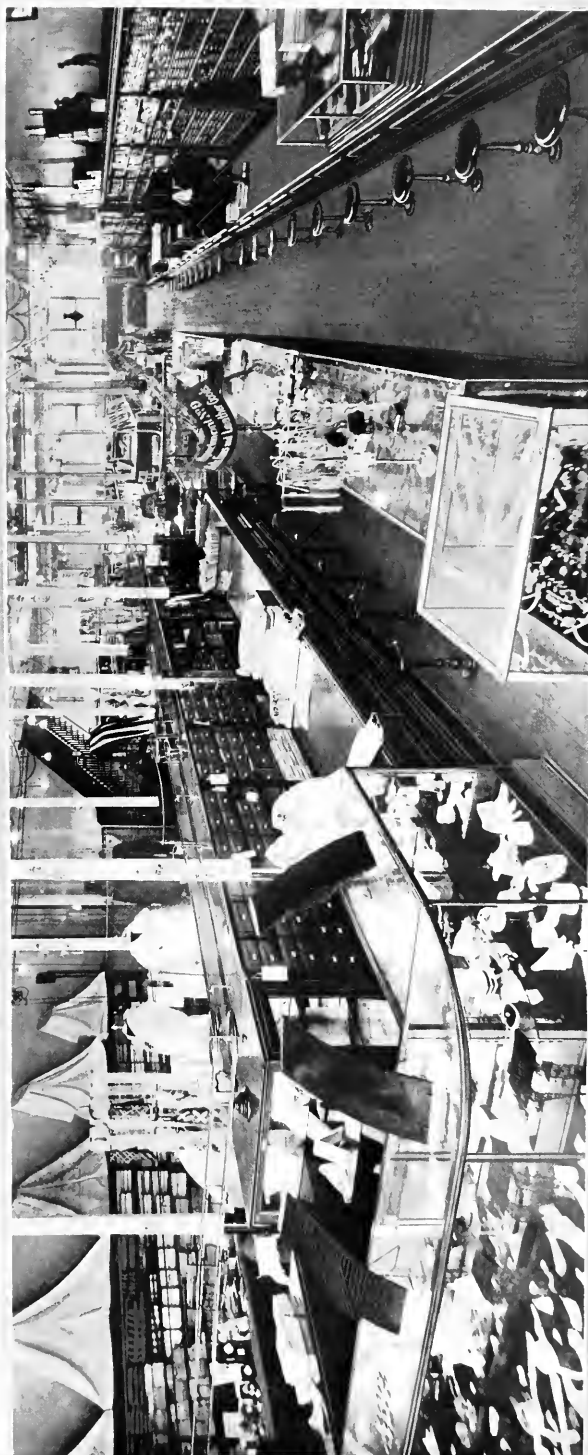


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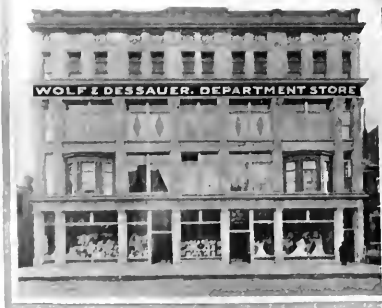
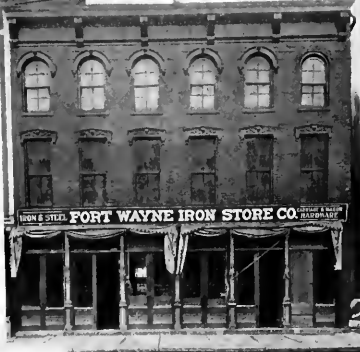
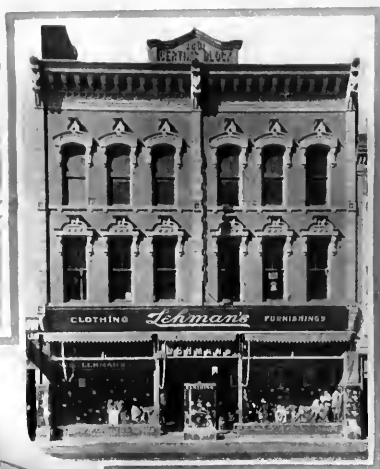
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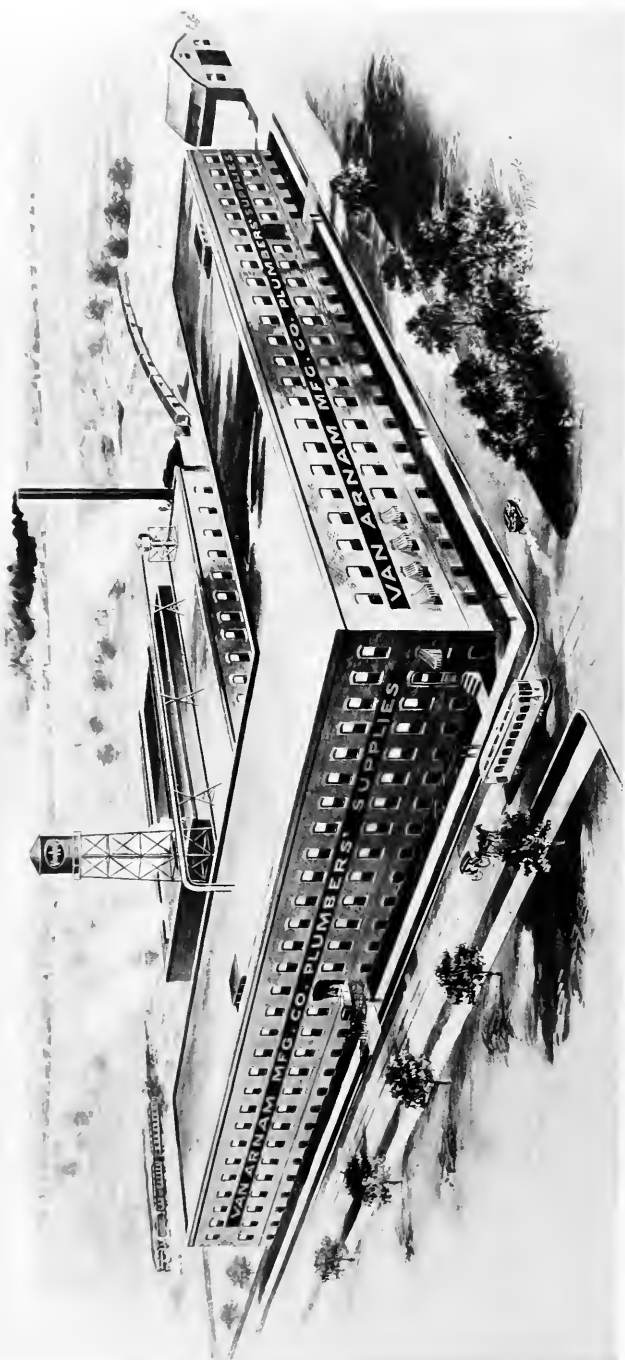
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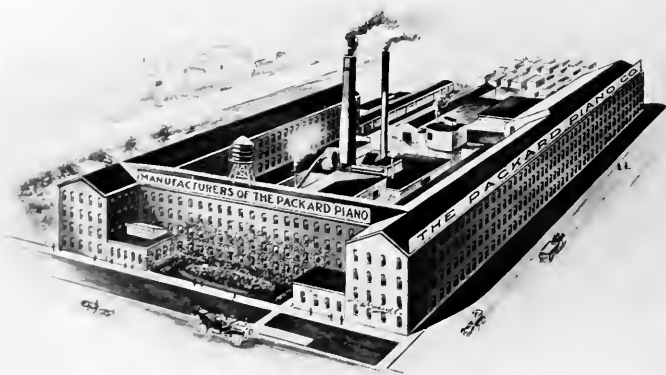
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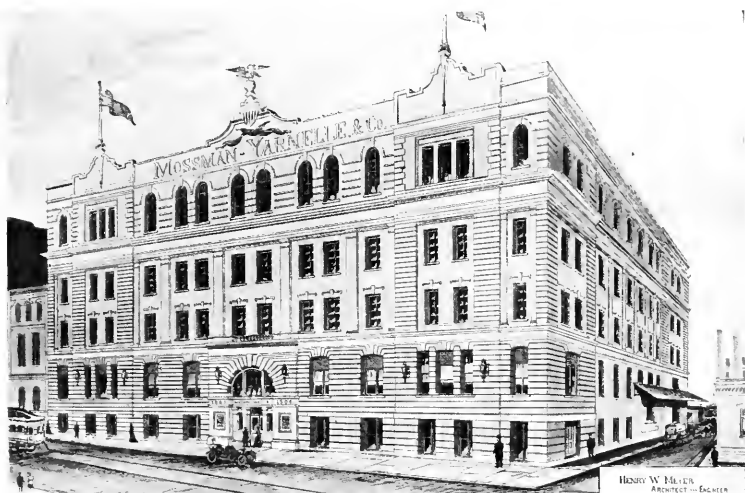
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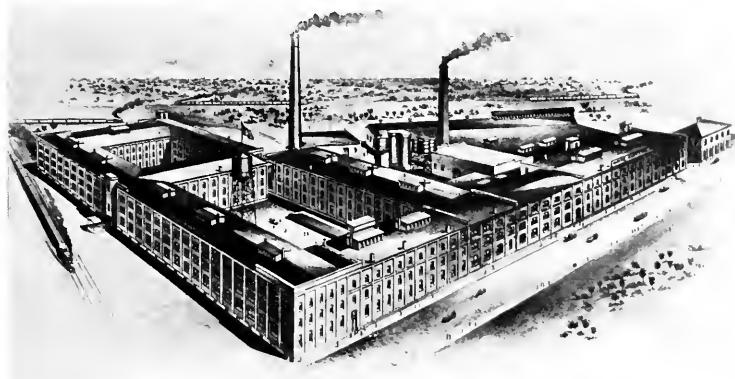
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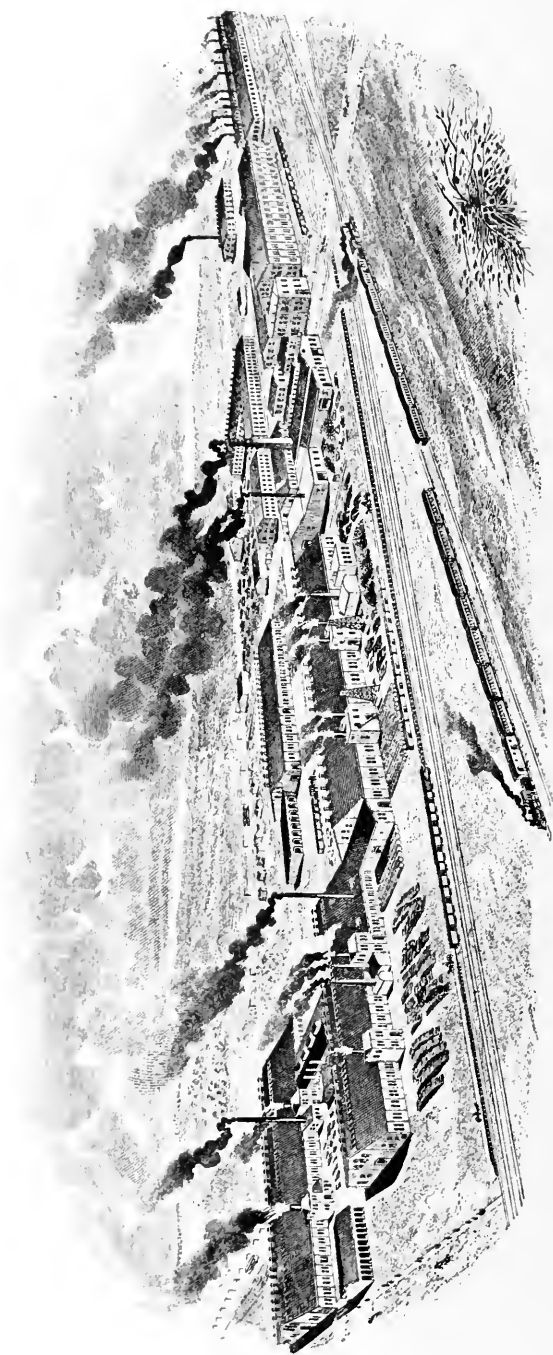


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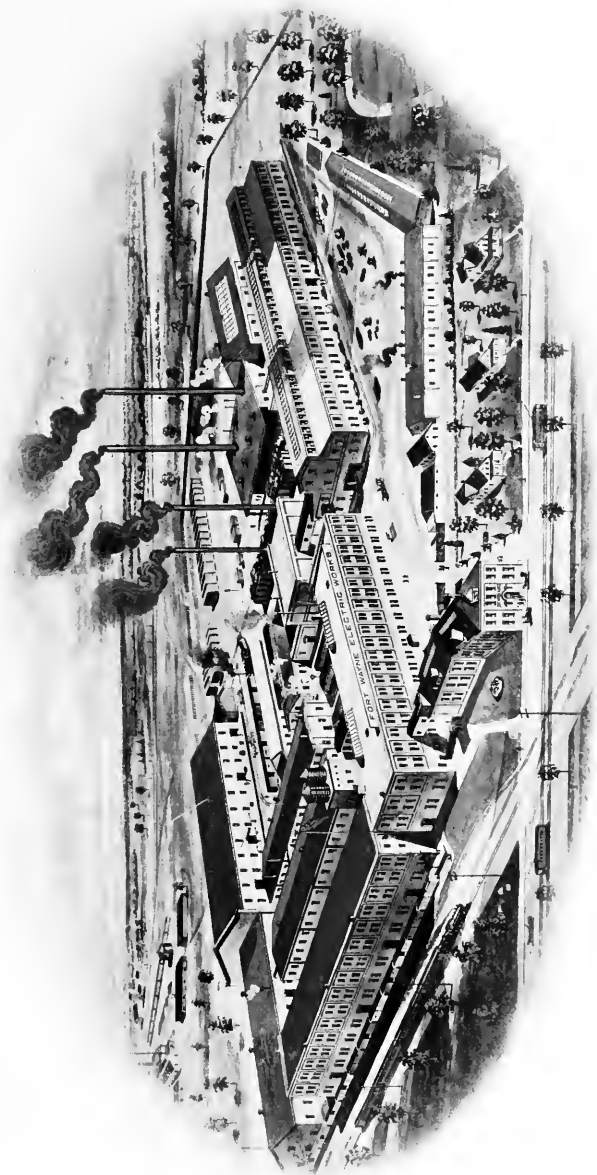


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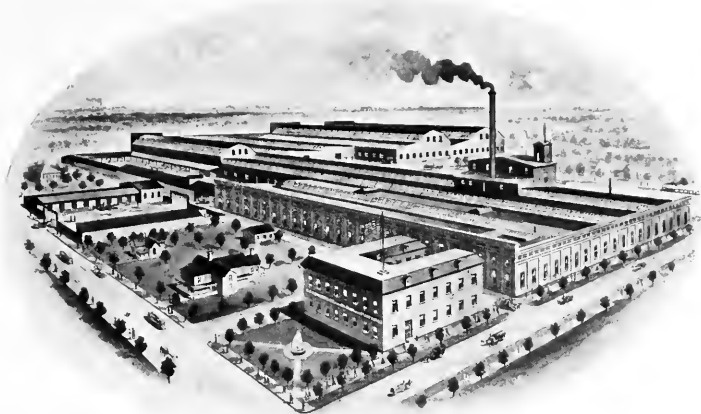
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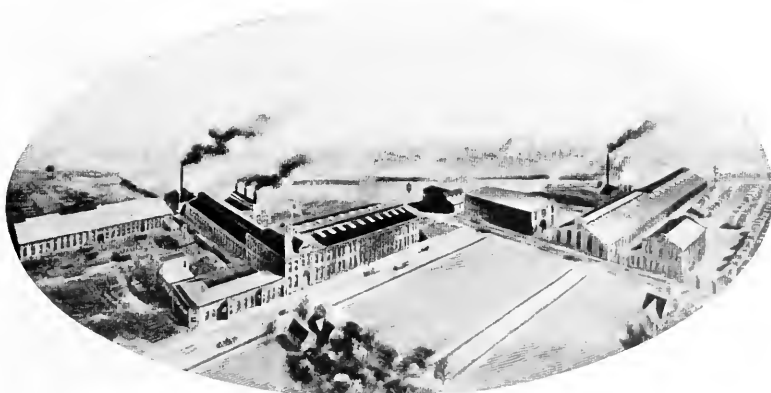
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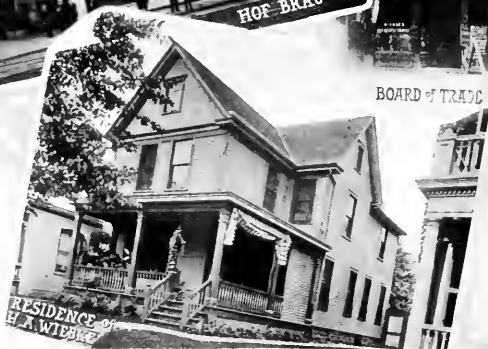
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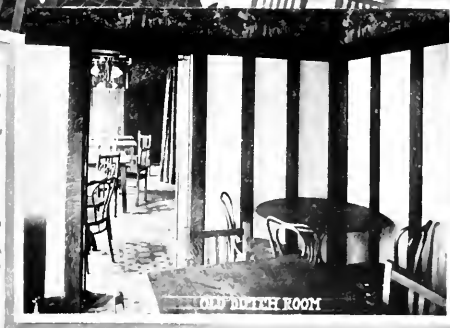


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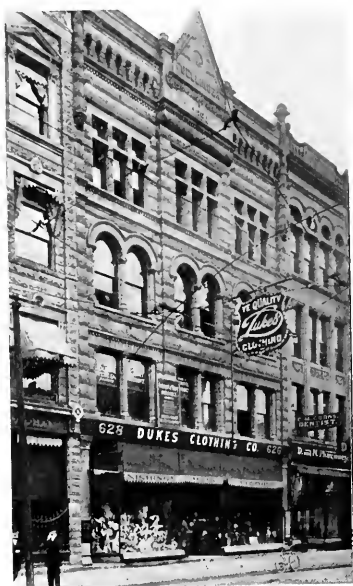
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Fort Wayne --- Retroscope and Protoscope

Fort Wayne—namesake of the hero of the Battle of Fallen Timbers—is the metropolis of Northwestern Indiana and provides the municipal wants of a well-settled territory more than 100 miles in diameter. The span of its civic life is more than a century—linking the present generation with that of General Mad Anthony Wayne—the great warrior of a white race contending not only for the supremacy of the white man's civilization over the profligate, unproductive tenancy of the age-old red race, but also for the liberty of a Republic. For the message of the Battle of Fallen Timbers was one that proclaimed the region of the Maumee's source and Michigan's peninsula American territory, instead of a British dependency. The founder of the City of Fort Wayne gave to the people the title of Citizen and not Subject. The decisive battle was fought in 1794 and soon thereafter the stockade was built at the juncture of the St. Mary's river and the St. Joseph, running in opposite directions and uniting to form the Maumee, a stream that empties at Toledo into Lake Erie.

Fort Wayne is the capital of Allen County—named for one of Wayne's brave Kentuckians, commander of a regiment. The county is the largest in the State, and, while Fort Wayne is the third city in point of population by the census of 1910, it is second in postoffice receipts and wage averages. That is to say, a very large part of Fort Wayne's population is highly paid wage workers—the best bunch of spenders on earth. This means, of course, large and prosperous retail stores, important jobbing interests and several hundred factories. It further means a host of active, busy, salaried men, middlemen, professional men etc., all uniting to make a city of no mean size or influence.

Fort Wayne's products are sold in every State of the Union and several thousand carloads annually find their way to foreign countries. Fort Wayne is the seat of great electric works, knitting mills, washing and road building machinery, gas making machinery, oil tanks, rolling mills, flouring interests, foundries, wearing apparel factories, soap factories, woodworking enterprises, etc. The total number of manufacturing plants is nearly 300, with an annual payroll of approximately ten million dollars. Commercially, therefore, Fort Wayne is in the front rank of the growing cities of the Middle West. In all that makes for strenuous and prosperous business conditions, this city is well equipped.

Fort Wayne is on the main line of the Pennsylvania, Wabash, Nickel Plate and Grand Rapids railroads and three other steam lines find terminals here. Four interurban roads daily deliver several thousand shoppers into the heart of the city. There are two other interurbans soon to be built. Fort Wayne is therefore a railroad center for immense passenger and freight traffic. The prospective factory can nowhere find a better location for shipping facilities. In the not distant future there will be a great barge canal floating unbroken cargoes, loaded at New York, destined for Chicago or St. Louis, or, at Chicago or St. Louis, destined for New York. The capacity of the trunk lines of railroads is reaching the limit. The heavy freight of the west must find its way to the seaboard by a water route connecting Lake Erie and Lake Michigan through Fort Wayne. Nature has provided the water in Northern Indiana's five rivers and hundreds of lakes, and the glacial streams of a million years ago carved a valley and left a tritured soil easy of excavation for this great work of modern times. The vision is not a dream—it is one of the unborn realities shaping in the Bosom of Time under the Paternity of a Great Country's Necessity.

Fort Wayne's religious organizations took a religious census a few years ago and those who did the field work reported that not a man or woman in all the scores of thousands interviewed confessed himself or herself an Atheist. Fort Wayne is a city of churches with a large number of Lutheran, Catholic, Methodist, Presbyterian, Episcopal, Jewish and other parishes and congregations. It is the seat of the Catholic diocese, the home of the Bishop, and it is one of the largest constituencies of the Missouri Synod (Lutheran). The churches raise many thousands of dollars annually for benevolent and missionary purposes. The Lutheran Church maintains a school for boys, Concordia College, with several hundred students, for whom the United States Government provides a military instructor.

Fort Wayne has for many years been adding annually several miles of paved streets and cement sidewalks. It is engaged in a movement that will eventually give every street a brick or asphalt surface and every sidewalk will be cement. It has many miles of fine shade trees lining the streets. It has more than one hundred acres of parks and nine miles of river front. The city has established a tax for river front improvement purposes, and during 1911 will have a fund of \$15,000 to spend for boulevarding and parking the river frontage. It has laid out plans for civic improvement that will greatly beautify the city in the next decade.

Of the public buildings in Fort Wayne the Court House is easily first. It is built of Bedford stone, marble lined, with stairways of striking architectural beauty. The dome is a masterpiece of graceful silhouette. The Court House would be creditable as the Capitol of any State. The school houses of Fort Wayne are being rebuilt along lines of social settlement

thought—making them the social centers of their community. The hotels are now fireproof, theaters are in keeping with a metropolis, and the stores and wholesale houses are in step with the city's growth. The local traction company has a million-dollar turbine engine power house. The Country Club, the Elks' Hall, the Turn-Verein, the Commercial Club and other social organizations provide beautiful and attractive resorts. The Scottish Rite Cathedral is a marvel of architectural art, being the finest building in the country devoted exclusively to Scottish Rite Masonry. There are 1,400 members in its jurisdiction.

Fort Wayne owns its water works, pumping pure water from rock wells, and owns also an electric light plant costing \$300,000. It is governed by the municipal code of Indiana, which seeks to center responsibility in the Mayor. The city is progressive, enterprising and prosperous, with a high rating for peace and good order. Its labor conditions are always satisfactory because of the sympathy and responsiveness of employer and employed. Labor is well organized, but is wisely led. The capitalists of Fort Wayne are first of all men—American men—believing in the measures that promote the common welfare.

Fort Wayne is the ideal of those who dwell in cities. Come cast your lot with us.

Fort Wayne's population 1910, 65,000.

Fort Wayne's postal receipts 1900, \$93,912.00; 1910, \$298,183.22.

FORT WAYNE'S COMPARATIVE BANKING FIGURES.

	Deposits.	Capital.	Surplus and Undl. Profits.
1900 -----	\$5,289,332 84	\$1,150,000	\$ 985,954 03
1910 -----	17,893,459 04	2,110,000	1,123,851 85
Increase -----	\$12,604,126 20	960,000	437,897 82
	238 Per Cent.	83 Per Cent.	63 Per Cent.

FORT WAYNE'S SUPERIOR ADVANTAGES IN FREIGHT RATES.

From the standpoint of railroad rates and transportation Fort Wayne is one of the most favored cities of the country. Fort Wayne is able to reach all of the New England States, New York, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia and Ohio at lower rates than either Chicago, Ill., or Grand Rapids, Mich. The two cities named are selected for purposes of comparison for the reason, first, that Chicago, in addition to being one of the greatest manufacturing centers of the country, is the rate-basing point of the entire United States; second, that Grand Rapids, a city of approximately twice the size of Fort Wayne, is in large part maintained by her manufactures. The appended tables will show that Fort Wayne possesses in all cases equal and in some cases superior advantages to either city in the matter of rates:

Rates to New York

City.	Class and Rate					
	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.
From Fort Wayne-----	67½	58½	45	31½	27	22½
From Grand Rapids-----	72	62½	48	33½	29	24
From Chicago-----	75	65	50	35	30	25

Rates to New England points are 10 per cent. higher in each class from all of these points than to New York, and to Philadelphia they are 2 cents and Baltimore 3 cents less in each class.

To Buffalo and Pittsburg.

City.	Class and Rate					
	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.
From Fort Wayne-----	41	35	26	18	15	12
From Grand Rapids-----	44½	38½	29	20½	17½	14½
From Chicago-----	45	39	30	21	18	15

To Cincinnati.

City.	Class and Rate					
	First.	Second.	Third.	Fourth.	Fifth.	Sixth.
From Fort Wayne-----	33	28½	22	15	12	9½
From Grand Rapids-----	43	36½	27½	19	16	13
From Chicago-----	40	34	25	17	15	12

To New Orleans and the Southern and Southeastern territory Fort Wayne enjoys equal rates with Chicago and lower rates than Grand Rapids. To the entire Pacific coast Fort Wayne has the same rates that both Chicago and Grand Rapids have.

These same distinct rate advantages are had by Fort Wayne from all this vast territory, a factor of first importance, affording, as it does, a lower rate in the securing of raw material as well as a lower rate in the distribution of finished products.

These rate advantages compel attention to Fort Wayne as a manufacturing and distributing center, while Fort Wayne's superior transportation facilities add greatly to the attractiveness. No city in the State of Indiana can present such advantages in freight rates.

If further information is desired it will be furnished by the Secretary of the Commercial Club of Fort Wayne.

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